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TO BE COMPLETED	(Printed	name of traveler) G MEMBER/OFFICER:		(Signature of traveler)
I have made a determing Authorization form, are	nation that the expense necessary transports	es set out above in connection, lodging, and related	expenses as defined	in Rale 35.

(Revised 1/3/11)

(Signature of Supervising Senator/Officer)

AUGUST 21-23, 2019 HOOVER INSTITUTION, STANFORD UNIVERSITY

Note: There will be 10-minute breaks between sessions.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21, 2019

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8:50 AM:	Depart IAD on UA Flight 1763
11:24 AM:	Arrive SFO and pick up shuttle bus in baggage claim
12:15 – 1:00 PM:	Lunch and Welcome by Hoover DC staff Location: 580 Serra Mall, Stanford, CA 94305
1:00 - 2:20 PM:	The Great Degeneration Niall Ferguson will discuss his 2014 book "The Great Degeneration: How Institutions Decay and Economies Die".
2:30 - 3:40 PM:	Have We Closed the Socioeconomic Gap? Eric Hanushek will discuss 50 years of student performance data in math, reading, and science to examine whether socioeconomic achievement gaps have widened, narrowed or persisted.
3:50 - 5:00 PM:	Why America is Going Broke John Cogan will discuss his research on the US budget, fiscal policy, and entitlement programs.
5:00 – 6:00 PM:	Check into Schwab Residential Center Location: 680 Serra Mall, Stanford, CA 94305
6:00 – 6:30 PM:	Shuttle to dinner location
6:30 – 8:30 PM:	Informal Dinner Location: Dan Gordon's, 640 Emerson Street, Palo Alto, CA

Transport to Schwab Residential Center

Location: 680 Serra Mall, Stanford, CA 94305

8:30 PM:

THURSDAY, AUGUST 22, 2019

All meetings will be held in: Lou Henry Hoover Building, Room 101, 580 Serra Mall, Stanford, CA 94305

8:30 – 9:00 AM: Continental Breakfast

9:00 – 10:10 AM: Environmental Markets: A Property Rights Approach

Terry Anderson will discuss his concept of "free market

environmentalism", the idea of using markets and property rights to

solve environmental problems.

10:20 AM - 11:30 PM: History of Monetary Policy

Jennifer Burns will give a historical look at monetary policy and how

she uses Hoover's archives for her research.

11:40 – 12:50 PM: Immigration and Economic Performance

Tim Kane will discuss how immigration policies affectsour nation's

economic performance.

12:50 AM - 1:15 PM: Lunch

1:15 - 2:25 PM: Discussion on Health Insurance Markets

Kate Bundorf will focus on the future of health insurance and health-

care-provider markets.

2:35–3:00 PM: Hoover Tower Tour

3:10 – 4:30 PM: Archives presentation (economics focused items)

Jean Cannon will present archival materials from the Hoover collections

and discuss how learning from history can help drive current policy.

4:40 – 5:45 PM: Campus tour

5:45 – 6:15 PM: Reception

Location: Fairweather Courtyard

6:15 – 8:15PM: Dinner Keynote: Strategies for Economic Growth

John Cochrane will discuss strategies to grow the economy and policies

that support that growth.

Location: Fairweather Courtyard

8:15 PM: Return to Schwab Residential Center

Location: 680 Serra Mall, Stanford, CA 94305

FRIDAY, AUGUST 23, 2019

All meetings will be held in Lou Henry Hoover Building, Room 101, 580 Serra Mall, Stanford, CA 94305

9:00 – 9:30 AM: Continental Breakfast

9:30 – 10:40 AM: Healthcare Reform

Scott Atlas will discuss our current healthcare policies and how it can

be reformed.

10:40 AM: Pick up boxed lunch and depart for SFO

1:00 PM: Depart SFO on UA Flight 1400

8:54 PM: Arrive IAD



Dear Mr. Levinson,

We are pleased to inform you that you have been selected to participate in the Hoover Institution's Economic Fellowship Program. To proceed, please confirm your agreement to attend by completing this form by the close of business on Friday, April 5th.

Over the next few months you and your fellow program participants will participate in seminars featuring some of the Hoover Institution's premier economic scholars. These sessions will challenge you and help you wrestle with the important ideas that drive economic policy. The program will culminate in a two and a half day policy seminar on Stanford University's campus, the home of Hoover Institution's headquarters.

The first Fellowship seminar will take on May 2nd at 6:00pm on Capitol Hill (room forthcoming). The dates and times of confirmed Washington, D.C. seminars and the Stanford University staff delegation can be found in the program itinerary below. It is expected that you attend all Washington, D.C. events in order to attend the program on Stanford University's campus. Should you need to miss a session, please coordinate with Hoover Institution staff to find a suitable make up assignment.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact Paige Mathes (spmathes@stanford.edu) or Trevor Carlsen (tcarlsen@stanford.edu). Again, thank you for your participation. We look forward to and expect an excellent program.

Sincerely,

Michael G. Franc

Director, Washington D.C. Programs
Hoover Institution, Stanford University

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EMPLOYEE PRE-TRAVEL AUTHORIZATION

<u>Pre-Travel Filing Instructions</u>: Complete and submit this form at least 30 days prior to the travel departure date to the Select Committee on Ethics in SH-220. Incomplete and late travel submissions will <u>not</u> be considered or approved. This form <u>must</u> be typed and is available as a fillable PDF on the Committee's website at ethics.senate.gov. Retain a copy of your entire pre-travel submission for your required post-travel disclosure.

(Date)

(Revised 10/19/15)

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Name of Traveler:	Douglas Levinson
Employing Office/Committee:	Senate Foreign Relations Committee
Private Sponsor(s) (list all):	University's Hoover Institution
August 21-23, 2019 Travel date(s):	•
Note: If you plan to extend the	trip for any reason you must notify the Committee.
Stanford University Destination(s):	, Stanford CA
Explain how this trip is specifically co	nnected to the traveler's official or representational duties:
This economic training will aid me in my statecraft and oversight over international	work on the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, as my portfolio includes economic al financial institutions.
Name of accompanying family members. Relationship to Employee: Spouse	
I certify that the information contained 7/22/2019 (Date)	in this form is true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge: (Signature of Employee)
TO BE COMPLETED BY SUPERVISING Secretary for the	G SENATOR/OFFICER (President of the Senate, Secretary of the Senate, Sergeant at Arms, the Minority, and Chaplain):
SENATOR MENENDEZ (Print Senator's/Officer's Name	
gelated expenses for travel to the event	on, to accept payment or reimbursement for necessary transportation, lodging, and described above. I have determined that this travel is in connection with his or her scholder, and will not create the appearance that he or she is using public office for
have also determined that the attendar of the Senate. (signify "yes" by checking to 7/22/2019	nce of the employee's spouse or child is appropriate to assist in the representation box) Werend.

(Signature of Supervising Senator/Officer)

Form RE-1

PRIVATE SPONSOR TRAVEL CERTIFICATION FORM

This form must be completed by any private entity offering to provide travel or reimbursement for travel to Senate Members, officers, or employees (Senate Rule 35, clause 2). Each sponsor of a fact-finding trip must sign the completed form. The trip sponsor(s) must provide a copy of the completed form to each invited Senate traveler, who will then forward it to the Ethics Committee with any other required materials. The trip sponsor(s) should NOT submit the form directly to the Ethics Committee. Please consult the accompanying instructions for more detailed definitions and other key information.

The Senate Member, officer, or employee MUST also provide a copy of this form, along with the appropriate travel authorization and reimbursement form, to the Office of Public Records (OPR), Room 232 of the Hart Building, within thirty (30) days after the travel is completed.

Spo	nsor(s) of the trip (please list all sponsors): Stanford University's Hoover Institution
— Des	cription of the trip: An intensive program for Congressional staff which consists of three days of
ser	ninars, simulations, and keynote presentations.
Dat	August 21-23, 2019 es of travel:
	e of travel: Stanford University, Stanford, CA
	ne and title of Senate invitees: See attached list.
I ce	rtify that the trip fits one of the following categories:
	(A) The sponsor(s) are not registered lobby ists or agents of a foreign principal and do not retain or employ registered lobby ists or agents of a foreign principal and no lobby ist or agents of a foreign principal will accompany the Member, officer, or employee at any point throughout the trip. - OR -
	(B) The sponsor or sponsors are not registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal, but retain or employ one or more registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal and the trip meets the requirements of Senate Rule 35.2(a)(2)(A)(i) or (ii) (see question 9).
X	I certify that the trip will not be financed in any part by a registered lobbyist or agent of a foreign principal.
	I certify that the sponsor or sponsors will not accept funds or in-kind contributions earmarked directly or indirectly for the purpose of financing this specific trip from a registered lobbyist or agent of a foreign principal or from a private entity that retains or employs one or more registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal.
	rtify that:
٣	The trip will not in any part be planned, organized, requested, or arranged by a registered lobbyist or agent of a foreign principal except for de minimis lobbyist involvement. - AND -
X	The traveler will not be accompanied on the trip by a registered lobbyist or agent of a foreign principal except as provided for by Committee regulations relating to lobbyist accompaniment (see question 9).

9.	USE ONLY IF YOU CHECKED QUESTION 6(B) I certify that if the sponsor or sponsors retain or employ one or more registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal, one of the following scenarios applies:
	(A) The trip is for attendance or participation in a one-day event (exclusive of travel time and one overnight stay) and no registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal will accompany the Member, officer, or employee on any segment of the trip.
	(B) The trip is for attendance or participation in a one-day event (exclusive of travel time and two overnight stays) and no registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal will accompany the Member, officer, or employee on any segment of the trip (see questions 6 and 10).
	(C) The trip is being sponsored only by an organization or organizations designated under § 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and no registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal will accompany the Member, officer, or employee at any point throughout the trip.
10.	USE ONLY IF YOU CHECKED QUESTION 9(B) If the trip includes two overnight stays, please explain why the second night is practically required for Senate invitees to participate in the travel:
11.	An itinerary for the trip is attached to this form. I certify that the attached itinerary is a detailed (hourby-hour), complete, and final itinerary for the trip.
12.	Briefly describe the role of each sponsor in organizing and conducting the trip:
	Stanford University's Hoover Institution solely planned all aspects of the trip including topics discussed,
	travel/accommodation logistics, and required paperwork. Hoover staff will also be responsible for
	traveling with Congressional staff and managing logistics for the duration of the trip.
13.	Briefly describe the stated mission of each sponsor and how the purpose of the trip relates to that mission: The Hoover Institution is a research institution that seeks to improve the human condition by advancing
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	ideas that promote economic opportunity and prosperity while securing and safeguarding peace
	through its world renowned scholars, library and archives, as well as by engaging Congress and its staff.
14.	Briefly describe each sponsor's prior history of sponsoring congressional trips:
	This is the seventh sponsored trip for Congressional staff organized by the Hoover Institution. The
	latest of which was in April 2019 and had a similar format to this trip.

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21.	Describe how the daily expenses for lodging, meals, and other expenses provided to trip participants compares to the maximum per diem rates for official Federal Government travel:
	Lodging expenses are less than the federal per diem for Palo Alto, CA. Meal expenses are less than the
	federal per diem for Palo Alto, CA.
22.	Describe the type and class of transportation being provided. Indicate whether coach, business-class or first class transportation will be provided. If first-class fare is being provided, please explain why first-class travel is necessary:
	Stanford University's Hoover Institution will provide coach-class, round trip airfare between Washington,
	DC and San Francisco, CA, and round trip ground transportation between Stanford University and SFO.
23.	I represent that the travel expenses that will be paid for or reimbursed to Senate invitees do not include expenditures for recreational activities, alcohol, or entertainment (other than entertainment provided to all attendees as an integral part of the event, as permissible under Senate Rule 35).
24.	List any entertainment that will be provided to, paid for, or reimbursed to Senate invitees and explain why the entertainment is an integral part of the event:
	None.
25.	I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true, complete and correct. (For trips involving more than one sponsor, you must include a completed signature page for each additional sponsor): Signature of Travel Sponsor: Milhul B. D. M.
	Michael Franc, Director of DC Programs Name and Title:
	Name of Organization: Hoover Institution
	Address: 1399 New York Avenue, NW, Suite 500, Washington, DC 20005
	Telephone Number:
	Fax Number: 202,760.3191
	mfranc@stanford.edu E-mail Address:

PRIVATE SPONSOR TRAVEL CERTIFICATION FORM

SIGNATURE PAGE FOR ADDITIONAL SPONSOR

(to be completed by each additional sponsor)

I hereby certify that the informa	ation contained on pages 1-4 of the certification form and an	у
accompanying addenda, all sub	mitted in connection with the	trip
	Dates of Travel (Month Day, Year)	
to	is true, complete, and correct.	
Place of Travel		
Signature of Travel Sponsor:		
Name and Title:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	 -
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Instructions

(Do not file the Instructions with OPR)

General Instructions

- The Senate Select Committee on Ethics ("Ethics Committee") has developed guidelines for evaluating privately-sponsored trips and for judging whether trip expenses are reasonable. Trip sponsors should consult the Senate Select Committee on Ethics' Regulations and Guidelines for Privately-Sponsored Travel, including the Glossary of Terms, prior to filling out the Private Sponsor Travel Certification Form and contact the Ethics Committee at (202) 224-2981 with any additional questions. The Ethics Committee will make the final determination as to whether the expenses incurred during a privately-sponsored trip are reasonable.
- If there are multiple sponsors, they should jointly complete one Private Sponsor Travel Certification Form for the trip. Each travel sponsor should complete the signature block.
- When evaluating a trip proposal and judging the reasonableness of expenses, the Ethics Committee will consider the following factors:
 - a. the stated mission of the organization sponsoring the trip;
 - b. the organization's prior history of sponsoring congressional trips, if any;
 - c. other educational activities performed by the organization besides sponsoring congressional trips;
 - d. whether any trips previously sponsored by the organization led to an investigation by the Select Committee on Ethics;
 - e. whether the length of the trip and the itinerary is consistent with the official purpose of the trip;
 - f. whether there is an adequate connection between a trip and official duties;
 - g. the reasonableness of the total amount spent by a sponsor of the trip;
 - h. whether there is a direct and immediate relationship between a source of funding and an event;
 - i. the maximum per diem rates for official Federal Government travel published annually by the General Services Administration, the Department of State, and the Department of Defense;
 - j. whether travel to a location or event is arranged or organized without regard to congressional participation, or whether it is specifically organized for Congressional staff; and
 - k. any other factor deemed relevant by the Select Committee on Ethics.

Consult the Senate Select Committee on Ethics' Regulations and Guidelines for Privately-Sponsored Travel, including the Glossary of Terms, for further discussion of these factors.

- Responses to each question should be brief, consistent with the requirement to provide all relevant information. Attach additional pages, as necessary.
- To allow sufficient time for the Ethics Committee to review requests for privately sponsored travel, the participating Senate Members, officers, and employees must submit the completed form to the Ethics Committee at least thirty (30) days before the date of the proposed trip.

Filling out the Private Sponsor Travel Certification Form (Question by Question Instructions)

- 1. Sponsor(s) of the trip (please list all sponsors): A sponsor of a trip is any person, organization, or other entity contributing funds or in-kind support for the trip. A sponsor must have a significant role in organizing and conducting a trip and must have a specific organizational interest in the purpose of the trip. If Members, officers, and employees are participating in an event or fact-finding trip in connection with their duties, they may accept necessary travel expenses only from the event or trip sponsor.
- 2. Description of the trip: Provide a brief statement about the purpose of the trip.
- 3. Dates of travel: Provide the dates of departure and return.
- 4. Place of travel: Provide the destination(s) for the trip.
- Name and titles of Senate invitees: Provide the name and title for each Senate Member, officer, or employee
 who is invited on the trip.
- 6. I certify that the trip fits one of the following categories: A Senate Member, officer, or employee may accept privately sponsored travel only from sponsor(s) of a trip that fits one of the categories listed. Consult the instructions for question 9 to determine if the trip meets the lobbyist accompaniment standard.
- 7. Financing of the trip, earmarked funds and in-kind contributions: Senate Members, officers, and staff may not accept privately-sponsored travel funded by a registered lobbyist or foreign agent. Members, officers, and staff may not participate in privately-sponsored travel when the sponsors accept funds or in-kind contributions earmarked for this particular trip from a registered lobbyist or agent of a foreign principal or from a private entity that retains or employs one or more registered lobbyists or agents of a foreign principal. Earmarking includes any direction, agreement, or suggestion -- formal or informal -- to use donated funds, goods, services, or other in-kind contributions for a particular trip or purpose.
- 8. Lobbyist/agent of a foreign principal involvement: Senate invitees may not participate in trips planned, organized, arranged, or requested by a lobbyist or foreign agent in more than a de minimis way, which means negligible or inconsequential. It would be considered inconsequential for one or more lobbyists or foreign agents to serve on the board of an organization that is sponsoring travel, as long as the lobbyists or foreign agents are not involved in the trip. It is also permissible for a lobbyist to respond to a trip sponsor's request to identify Senate invitees with interest in a particular issue relevant to a planned trip. However, a lobbyist is not allowed to solicit or initiate communication with a trip sponsor, have control over which Senate employees are invited on a trip, extend or forward an invitation to a participant, determine the trip itinerary, or be mentioned in the invitation.

Example: A trip sponsor that is a § 501(c)(3) non-profit organization asks a lobbyist to recommend staffers who might be most interested in joining a trip to the U.S.-Mexican border. If a lobbyist knows a staffer who has a particular interest in the DEA's activities at the border, then providing that information (in light of the trip sponsor's request), in and of itself, would not exceed a de minimis level of participation, and would be permitted. However, it would not be permissible for the lobbyist to initiate contact with the trip sponsor to suggest that a particular Senate staffer be invited or forward an invitation to that staffer. Consult the instructions for question 9 to determine if the trip meets the lobbyist accompaniment standards.

9. Lobbyist/agent of a foreign principal accompaniment standards: Senate Members, officers, and staff may not accept privately-sponsored travel from an entity that retains or employs one or more federally-registered lobbyists or foreign agents unless one of the listed scenarios applies. At any segment of the trip means lobbyists may not accompany the Senate invitee for parts of the travel to and from the event (not at the event itself or the location being visited). At any point throughout the trip means lobbyists may not accompany Senate invitees at any point to and from the event, at the event itself, or at the location being visited, other than in a de minimis way. This is a broader prohibition than the at any segment of a trip standard.

"De minimis" exception: Both lobbyist/agent of a foreign principal "accompaniment" prohibitions include a de minimis exemption. De minimis means negligible or inconsequential. The mere coincidental presence of a lobbyist or foreign agent at an event would likely be considered de minimis. But in making the final determination, the Ethics Committee will consider the totality of the circumstances, including the amount of time lobbyists or foreign agents are present at the event; the amount of direct contact they have with Senate invitees; and the amount of control a trip sponsor has over their presence or contact with Senate guests. For example, if the trip includes attendance at an event considered widely-attended under Rule 35(1)(c)(18), the trip sponsor is unlikely to know all attendees present. Thus, it is likely to be permissible for such widely-attended events to include both a Senate guest and a lobbyist. Similarly, an organization cannot possibly know all the other passengers taking the same flight or other common carrier to a given destination. Accordingly, the sponsor does not need to certify that it knows for certain that no lobbyist or foreign agent will be on such a common carrier.

- 10. If travel includes two overnight stays: The Ethics Committee may approve two overnight stays for trips sponsored by an entity that employs or retains one or more lobbyists or foreign agents under certain conditions. Consult Committee regulations for additional information.
- 11. An itinerary for the trip is attached to this form: The Ethics Committee will not review the trip request without a detailed (hour-by-hour), complete and final itinerary for the trip. As a general matter, the Ethics Committee advises that each travel day contain a minimum of 6 hours of officially-related activities for Senate invitees.
- 12. Briefly describe the role of each sponsor in organizing and conducting the trip: A sponsor must have a significant role in organizing and conducting a trip and must have a specific organizational interest in the purpose of the trip.
- 13. Briefly describe the stated mission of each sponsor and how the purpose of the trip relates to that mission: Provide a brief description of the stated mission of each sponsor and how it relates to the trip.
- 14. Briefly describe each sponsor's prior history of sponsoring congressional trips: Provide a brief discussion of the sponsor's history of sponsoring congressional travel. It is not necessary to list every trip.
- 15. Briefly describe the educational activities performed by each sponsor (other than sponsoring congressional trips): Provide a brief description of the educational activities performed by each sponsor. It is not necessary to list every individual activity; the description may be by kind or category of educational activity involved.
- 16. Total expenses for each participant: Indicate whether the figures provided are actual amounts or good faith estimates by checking the appropriate box. All trip expenses should be included. Expenses other than those for transportation, lodging, and meals must be individually listed and specified. Attach additional pages as necessary.

- 17. Congressional participation: For events that are arranged without regard to congressional participation (for example, annual meetings, conferences, seminars, and symposiums of trade associations, professional societies, business associations, and other membership organizations), the Ethics Committee may, but is not required to, allow Senate Members, officers, and employees to accept lodging and meal expenses that are commensurate with what is customarily provided to non-congressional attendees in similar circumstances. For events specifically arranged around congressional participation, lodging, meal expenses and other expenses must be "reasonable" in accordance with Ethics Committee regulations.
- 18. Reason for selecting the location of the event or trip: The location of the trip must be related to its purpose. A brief but detailed description of the reason for the selection of the location must be provided.
- 19. Name and location of hotel or other lodging facility: Include the exact name and address of the hotel or other lodging facility.
- 20. Reasons for selecting hotel or other lodging facility: Provide an explanation of the sponsor's rationale for selecting the particular lodging, include information such as proximity to the airport or site to be visited.
- 21. Describe how the daily expenses for lodging, meals, and other expenses provided to trip participant compare to the maximum per diem rates for official Federal Government travel: Where feasible and available, trip expenses for lodging and meals should generally be comparable to the government per diem rates. The circumstances surrounding a particular trip may legitimately require lodging and meal expenses to exceed these rates. Consult the Ethics Committee regulations for additional information.
- 22. Describe the type and class of transportation being provided: While coach or business-class fare may be accepted, first-class fare for any mode of transportation may be permitted only under limited conditions and only with specific prior written approval by the Ethics Committee. Transportation on a private or charter aircraft is not permitted for privately-sponsored travel under any circumstances.
- 23. Expenses for recreational activity, alcohol, or entertainment: The only recreational or entertainment activities that will be approved by the Ethics Committee are those that are provided to all attendees and are an integral part of an event. Alcoholic beverages are not considered to be a reasonable expense.
- 24. List any entertainment that will be provided to, paid for or reimbursed to Senate invitees and explain why the entertainment is an integral part of the event: Entertainment expenses that are not provided to all attendees and deemed an integral part of the event will not be approved by the Ethics Committee.
- 25. Certification: The trip sponsor must sign the form and certify that the information is true, complete, and correct. For trips with more than one sponsor, each additional sponsor must complete its own signature page and certify that the information contained in the form is true, complete, and correct.

August 2019 Senate Staffers Attendance List:

Scott Loully	Sanjana	Douglas	Taylor	Erich	Alexander	Meghan	Ryan	Halie
Reber Saney	Puskoor	Levinson	Hewes	Hartman	Hanson	Dorn	Dattilo	Craig
Legislative Assistant Deputy Press Secretary	Legislative Aide	Legislative and Research Assistant	Legislative Aide	Professional Staff Member	Legislative Assistant	Legislative Aide	Chief Counsel for Antitrust and Bankruptcy	Legislative Assistant
Sen. Risch (ID) Sen. Tim Kane (VA)	Sen. Michael Bennet (CO)	Senator Rob Menendez (NJ)	Sen. Pat Toomey (PA)	Senate Budget Committee	Sen. Tom Cotton (AR)	Sen. Lindsey Graham (SC)	Senate Judiciary Committee	Sen. Pat Toomey (PA)

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From: Christina Alderman

Sent: Tuesday, August 20, 2019 2:59 PM

To: Levinson, Doug (Foreign Relations) < Doug Levinson@foreign.senate.gov>

Subject: FW: eTicket Itinerary and Receipt for Confirmation E5XVNP

Hi Doug,

Here is the receipt from United for your flight change – now on United 309, Sunday Aug 25 from SFO at 11:00am- arrive IAD 7:16pm.

And a bit of good news... the United agent I dealt with this time told me there was only the change fee of \$200 - no additional cost for the flight!

And since our service fee only applies when we do the ticketing, there is no fee for that either. So the total sum charged was just the \$200 ②

Have a great trip!

Kind regards, Christina

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From: United Airlines, Inc. < Receipts@united.com >

Sent: Tuesday, August 20, 2019 2:54 PM

To: Groups <groups@casto.com>

Subject: eTicket Itinerary and Receipt for Confirmation ESXVNP



Thank you for choosing United.

A receipt of your purchase is shown below. Please retain this email receipt for your records.

Confirmation Number:

E5XVNP

Flight 1 of 2 UA1763

Class: Economy (T)

Wed, Aug 21, 2019

08:50 AM

Washington, DC, US (IAD)

Wed, Aug 21, 2019

11:24 AM

San Francisco, CA, US (SFO)

Flight 2 of 2 UA309

Class: Economy (V)

Sun, Aug 25, 2019

Sun, Aug 25, 2019

11:00 AM

07:16 PM

San Francisco, CA, US (SFO)

Washington, DC, US (IAD)

Traveler Details

LEVINSON/DOUGLASCHARLES

eTicket number: 0167381387264

Seats: IAD-SFO 33F

SFO-IAD 31F

Additional Purchase Summary

Method of payment: Date of purchase: American Express ending in 1006

Tue, Aug 20, 2019

Change Fee (Reference Number: 0161529597302):

200.00 USD

Total:

200.00 USD

Levinson, Doug (Foreign Relations)

From: Christina Alderman < christina.alderman@casto.com>

Sent: Friday, August 23, 2019 1:31 PM

To: Levinson, Doug (Foreign Relations)

Subject: RE: Flight change on United

Hi Doug,

Sorry that change didn't reach you – but you are indeed all set for the 9:30am on Sunday.

And no magic this time, the cost to change was \$201 for the new flight, and \$200 for the penalty fee = \$401.00. And I'm still unclear on the taxes but I think it's under \$10.00

Let me know if you have any further questions.

Thanks, Christina

Flight to Washington

DEPART		ARRIVE	FLIGHT INFO	
Sun, Aug 25, 2019		Sun, Aug 25, 2019	Flight	UA 516 Eligi
9:30 AM		5:42 PM	Duration	5h 12m
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San Francisco, CA,	US	Washington, DC, US	Seats	<u>376</u>

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